

## 2002 Census of Agriculture House District Profile

### District 105, Michigan

**Number of farms:** 1,096

**Land in farms:** 184,116 acres

**Average size of farm:** 168 acres

**Irrigated Land:** 3,073 acres

**Total number of Farm Operators:** 1,675

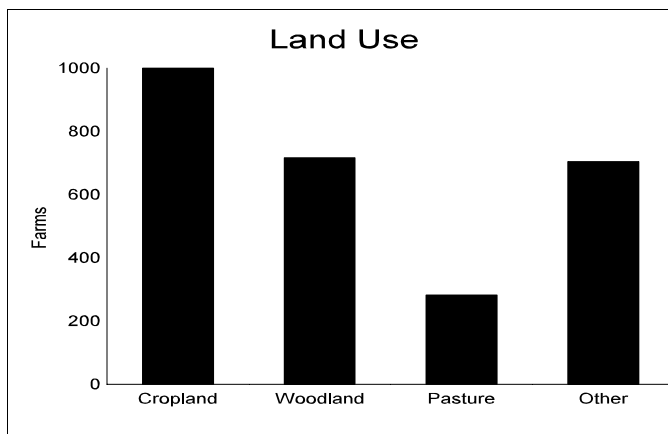
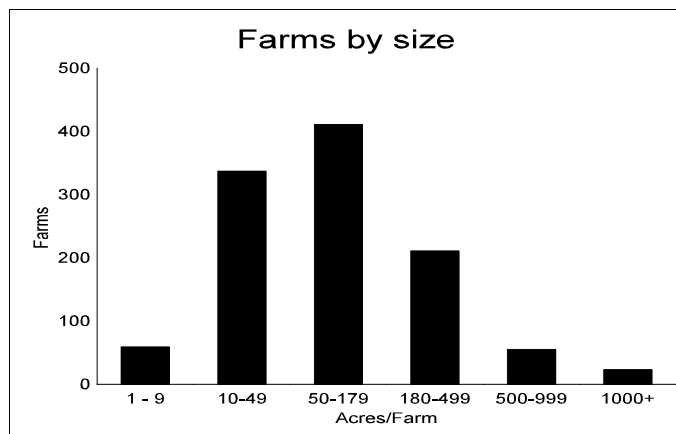
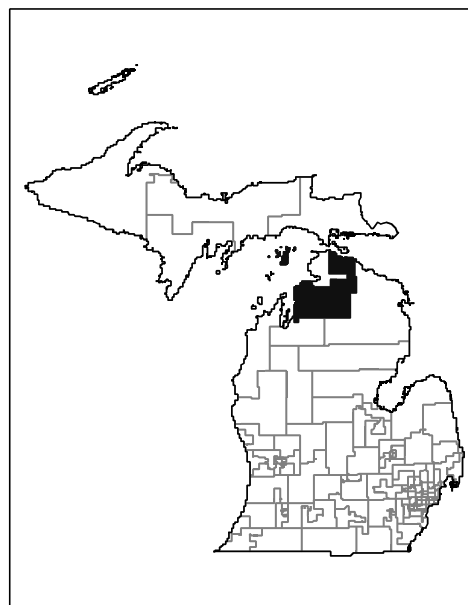
**Market Value of Production:** \$30,808,000

**Market Value of Production, average per farm:** \$28,110

**Government Payments:** \$971,000

**Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments:** \$4,497

**Gross Income from Farm Related Sources <sup>1</sup>:** \$1,868,000



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**Ranked items among the 110 house districts in the state, 2002**

Item	Quantity	State rank	Universe <sup>2</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>			
Total value of agricultural products sold	30,808	42	101
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) <sup>3</sup></b>			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	1,226	51	83
Tobacco	-	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	6,551	16	78
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	3,033	14	73
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture and sod	3,322	38	93
Cut Christmas trees and other short rotation woody crops	(D)	9	67
Poultry and eggs	348	16	71
Cattle and calves	3,575	27	74
Milk and other dairy products from cows	5,765	28	64
Hogs and pigs	(D)	42	69
Sheep, goats, and their products	90	23	69
Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys	160	41	77
Aquaculture	(D)	1	32
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>			
Cattle and calves	14,452	23	76
Pheasants	(D)	6	58
Colonies of bees	5,168	4	70
Layers 20 weeks old and older	2,555	26	72
Sheep and lambs	2,362	13	71
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>			
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and green chop	43,688	9	87
Corn for grain	5,616	50	74
Tart cherries	(D)	4	51
Cut Christmas trees	3,007	7	71
Corn for silage	2,665	27	65

**Other House District Highlights**

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	415	Farming	551
\$1,000 to \$2,499	142	Other	545
\$2,500 to \$4,999	124		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	125	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	92	Male	963
\$20,000 to \$24,000	27	Female	133
\$25,000 to \$39,999	33		
\$40,000 to \$49,000	18	Average age of principal operator (years)	55
\$50,000 to \$99,999	55		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	44	All operators <sup>4</sup> by race	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	10	White	1,632
\$500,000 or more	11	Black or African American	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	31,594	American Indian or Alaskan Native	6
Average per farm (\$)	28,959	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		Asian	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	6,283	More than one race	9
Average per farm (\$)	5,759	All operators <sup>4</sup> of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin	31

(D) Cannot be disclosed.

<sup>1</sup>Customwork, farm rent, forest products, recreational services, cooperative dividends, animal boarding, tax refunds, etc.

<sup>2</sup> Universe is number of house districts in state with item.

<sup>3</sup> Categories are not comprehensive and will not sum to total.

<sup>4</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.